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SITUATION AS OF 1300 EDT, 04/13/94

- (U) Two debriefs for official evacuees from Rwanda have been set up. On Tuesday, April 19 at 1:30 p.m. (Main State, room 1912) A/S Moose and AF/EX personnel will answer questions for all evacuees. The other debrief, specifically for USAID employees, is on Monday, April 18 at 1:00 p.m. (room 1912).

Diplomatic Issues

- (C) The UN Security Council may be considering today a proposal for the withdrawal of UNAMIR from Rwanda. The African countries are expected to call for a continuing presence. USUN has indicated that the USG may receive a formal request from UNAMIR to help evacuate its forces; apparently UNAMIR does not have the assets to do so on its own. (telcon WGI/USUN and IO).

Rwanda

- (U) One battalion of Rwandan Army paratroopers is still trying to resist the advance of the RPF, but the RPF grip around Kigali is tightening and its forces have linked up with the groups already in the city. The remaining French soldiers will probably leave by the end of the day. (RFI)
- (U) The six UNOSOM armored personnel carriers have arrived in Kigali from Somalia. (telcon WGI/USUN).
- (C) Belgian forces reached the 11 Deutsche Welle employees and have evacuated them from the mountain where the station is located. (USDAO/Bonn, and USUN)

  
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